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for Strategy Games*

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37 C.F.R. §1.111(a) RESPONSE / AMENDMENT

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Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.111(a), Applicant respectfully requests reconsideration and allowance of the subject application, based on the following amendments and comments. The present filing is in response to an Office Action mailed **August 25, 2004**.